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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT,
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FROM,

RAJASABHABHUSHANA DIWAN BAHADUR,

C. SRIKANTESVARA AIYAR, B.A., B.L.,

PRESIDENT, CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,

MYSORE.

To,

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esquire., B.A.,
Chief Secretary, to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore

SIR,

With reference to Government Proceedings Nos. G.8989-9002 PP. 136-18-9 dated 19th November 1918 and G. 9179-PP. 136-18-14 dated 21st November 1918 issuing instructions regarding the "ARMISTICE" celebrations in the City on the 7th December 1918 in a befitting manner, I have the honour to state that on the day in question the Managers of all religious institutions held special thanks-giving services and poojas. A salute of 31 guns was fired at 8 A.M. from the Palace battery and at 9 A.M. a public meeting was held in the Rangacharlu Memorial Hall at which H. H. The Yuvaraja G.C. I.E., presided and read out the gracious message of H. H. The Maharaja to his subjects. Rajasabhabhushana Diwan Bahadur, C. Srikantesvara Aiyar, B.A., B.L., President, City Municipal Council, Rev. G.W. Sawday, Lokasevaniratha Mr. Amble' Anniah Pandit and Mr. Mahamed Jaffer Saheb, made suitable speeches for the occasion.

2. Rajamantrapravina Mr. H. V. Nanjundiah, C.I.E., in proposing three cheers to H. M. The King Emperor, made a very felicitous reference to His Majesty's popularity as a constitutional Sovereign. Similarly, cheers were proposed to H.H. the Maharaja.

by the President of the City Municipal Council, to the Allies by Sirdar M. Gopalakrishne' Urs and to H. H. the Yuvaraja by R. H. Campbell, Esquire., I.C.S., C.I.E., and the meeting was brought to a close.

3. In the afternoon, between 2 and 4 P.M. doles of rice to the poor and clothes to the infirm and decrepit poor were distributed in three different places in the City Viz. Old Body Guard Lines, Rangacharlu Memorial Hall and H. H. The Maharaja's Sanskrit College. Altogether 6,000 persons received doles of rice, of whom 400 persons who were infirm or decrepit received clothes. Contributions in rice and cash for distribution to the poor were received from the following,

1. Mr. Sivaramiah of the Cauvery rice mill.
2. Sowcar Mr. Doddiah.
3. Mr. Abdul Aziz Pasha.
4. Rajasabhabhushana, Diwan Bahadur C. Srikantesvara Aiyar, B.A., B.L.,
5. Lokasevaniratha Mr. Amble' Anniah Pandit
6. Mr. M. Anantharajiah.
7. Dharmaprakasa Mr. D. Banumiah.

A sum of Rs. 225/- was spent for rice and Rs. 800/- for clothes distributed.

4. Sports were held in all the schools in the City from 3 P.M. and sweets were distributed to the School Boys and Girls at 5. 30 P.M. A sum of Rs. 1,000/- was spent an account of the distribution of sweets.

5. The Rangacharlu Memorial Hall, The Prince Albert Victor Road, Hardinge Circle and the surroundings were profusely decorated with flags and buntings. Other public buildings and most of the private houses were likewise decorated with flags and thoranams etc. Everywhere the Union Jack, the Mysore flag and the Allies' flags were in evidence in the City presenting a festive appearance.

6. In the evening the Rangacharlu Memorial Hall, the

the Clock Tower, the Fort North gates, the Palace and other private institutions were illuminated and the appearance was very imposing and grand.

7. The three dramatic Companies now in the City viz. The Sri Sakuntala Karnataka Nataka Sabha, The Ratnavali Theatrical Company and the Sirhatti Dramatic Company entertained the public by enacting " Gayacharitre' ", Manmatha Vijaya and Krishnaleela" respectively, and each house was full.

8. Some of the leading citizens, notably Mr. A. Ramannah, Advocate and some others fed a large number of persons in honor of this unique occasion and performed special mangalaraties. Some gentlemen also organised bhajana parties parading the Mysore, British and the Allied flags in procession in the principal streets of the City.

9. With H. H. The Maharaja's gracious permission , the Palace Karnatic Band was played at the Rangacharlu Memorial Hall in addition to the Volaga in the evening.

10. I append a statement of expenditure incurred out of the amount sanctioned by Government and the Municipal Council for the occasion.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Srikantaraya

President.

MRV.

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MYSORE CITY MUNICIPALITY.

Statement showing the receipts and expenditure incurred by the City Municipal Council for the celebrations of the "ARMISTICE" on the 7th December 1918.-

Items of receipts.	Amount.	Expenditure.	Amount.
1. Contribution from Government. Rs.	1,500/-	For distribution of sweets to the School	
" " Municipal Council.	650/-	" Children. Rs.	1,000/-
		" of rice to the poor cripple &c.	225/-
Private contributions.		" Clothes to the lame blind &c.	800/-
		Expenses incurred for decorating the	
Mr. Sivaramiah, Cauvery Rice Mill 5 pallas of rice.		Rangacharlu Memorial Hall and surroundings.	115/-
Mr. Doddiah, Sowcar & Municipal Councillor. 5 pallas of rice		Expenses incurred for printing leaflets &c.	10/-
Mr. Abdul Aziz Pasha Do. 5 pallas of rice			
Rajasabhabhushana, Diwan Bahadur C.Srikantesvara Aiyar, B.A., B.L., 2 pallas of rice			
Lokasevaniratha Mr. Amble' Anniah Pandit. 1 palla of rice			
Mr. M. Anantharajiah. 75 seers.			
Dharmaprakasa Mr. D. Banumiah Rs.78-2-0.			
Total Rupees Two thousand One hundred and fifty only.	2,150/-	Total Rupees two thousand one hundred and fifty only.	2,150/-

Dated 11th December 1918.

MRV.

Srikanta Varadaiya

President,
City Municipal Council, Mysore.